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THE NEW YEAR.

Another year with its varied changes and vicissitudes has passed, and a new one is dawning upon us.

Years are generally regarded as conventional gradations of time, but alas! they also mark periods of mistake, error, grief and shame.

Standing today on the furthestmost slant of the hill of existence, where the shadows are lengthening as we totter toward the unexplored beyond,

we nevertheless see much to cheer us on our checkered way. As a nation we see nothing but joy and gladness for the American people.

Happy new year to all of our readers—happy in our homes, happy in our hearts, let us all struggle through the coming year, to make all happy with whom we come in contact,

The law makers of South Carolina will convene in annual session in Columbia on Tuesday, January 12th.

Several of the current magazines contain articles on "How to Economize." The writer who can tell how to get along without the necessity of economizing will have more appreciative readers.

The present price of cotton should convince the farmers that the thing to do is to plant a conservative crop of cotton each year and devote more attention to other crops.

The National Democratic executive committee will meet in Washington on the 12th of January to determine the place and time of the next nominating convention of the Democratic party.

A bill has recently been introduced in congress providing for another national holiday. It is proposed to make Oct. 12, the day on which Columbus discovered America, a national holiday.

One of our exchanges says that the happiest people in the world are those who keep out of debt, out of politics, out of office, shun notoriety, make an honest living by honest means, follow the golden rule, humbly serve the living God, pursue the even tenor of their way, and neglect no opportunity of doing good. Correct.

The Birmingham (Ala.) Age Herald says if Roosevelt is nominated by acclamation in 1904, it will be found that a large number of Republicans who had no hand in it will stay away from the polls on election day.

Moonshiners' Profit.

(Macon (Ga.) Telegraph.) An old revenue officer who has had years of active experience in raiding stills and capturing blockaders, who has had many a battle with the outlaws and heard the bullets from their guns whistle past him, who had often crouched behind the rocks and stowed behind trees and who has done his share in trying to stamp out the miscreants, said a few days ago in speaking of blockaders and moonshine whiskey: "I have been a revenue officer for about twenty-five or thirty years, and have seen all kinds of service, under all kinds of circumstances, and don't believe blockading or illicit distilling will ever be stopped.

"I will give you an idea of how cheaply moonshine whiskey is made and the immense profit that is reaped from its sale. They take one gallon of cheap black molasses, which costs about 65 cents; two bushels of meal, costing 65 cents per bushel, and some water. This is made into a mash, almost ferment, and then it goes through a process of evaporation. This amount of meal, water and molasses makes forty gallons of whiskey, which is sold for \$2 a gallon. Anyone can see the immense profit from this illustration.

"Latterly brown sugar has been used instead of molasses and is a great deal cheaper. The sugar costs about 42 cents a pound; there are 360 pounds in a barrel, making it cost \$153.00 per barrel. An immense amount of molasses is made from a barrel of sugar, and the profit is almost twice as great as in using the first method. Distillers are captured every day, and when they are sent to prison others take their places, thus the perpetual flow of "white lightning."

Court Upholds Color Line.

Alton, Ill., December 18.—The famous Alton School case, in which the negro children of this city are seeking admission to the schools with the white children, was decided in favor of the city of Alton and against the negro children today in the Madison County Circuit Court.

The case has been on trial for two days. After the decision was announced J. J. Brenhoit, formerly Senator from the 47th Illinois district, attorney for the negro children, filed a notice of appeal to the Supreme Court of Illinois.

The Alton school case is said to be the most famous of its kind in the Courts today. The present trial is the seventh that the case has had in the various Courts. The case has had both in the Appellate and the Supreme Courts, where it each time has been reversed and remanded upon various points.

In the suit Scott Bibb and other negroes of Alton are praying for a writ of mandamus against the mayor, the city council and the board of education, which is appointed by the mayor and confirmed by the council, to compel them to permit their children to attend school with the white children.

Efficacy of Prayer.

Archbishop Ireland, who is never without a good story, tells one that he holds to be one of the best illustrations of individual supplication to the throne of grace. The little six-year-old daughter of one of his parishioners is an exceedingly bright child, and too bright, as the Archbishop explained, and she had been praying to have a little brother sent to her. When her prayer was answered she was delighted and had her father and mother there by. But when one day, less than two years later, the gift was repeated she looked gravely apprehensive.

"I don't want two brothers," she exclaimed, "and I'm sure I prayed too much. I hope God won't answer every prayer I made for a little brother by sending one for each."

But the best evidence of the responsibility she felt in the matter was disclosed on a subsequent occasion, when she heard her father and mother discussing to a dinner table full of guests upon the merits and attractions of these two little sons.

Georgia's Governor.

Atlanta, Ga., December 28.—At a banquet given this evening by the business men of Atlanta to Brig.-Gen. Harry, in command of the department of the gulf, Gov. Joseph M. Terrell, of Georgia, was also a guest of honor. In responding to the toast "The State" Governor Terrell said among other things: "With many things that President Roosevelt has done, indeed with the construction of the Panama canal, a thing in which we, as Southerners, are most deeply and most vitally interested. It is not now and cannot be made a party matter. We want the canal and we are in a fair way to get it, and if we do not get it now, it will be our own fault."

Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of authority vested in me by the conditions of a Deed of Trust to me executed by Nancy J. Chalmers on December 19, 1903, for the purposes therein named, I will sell at public outcry at Anderson, S. C., within the legal hours of sale, before the Court House door, on Wednesday, January 1, 1904, being the fourth day of the month—All that piece, parcel or Tract of Land situated, lying and being in Rock Mills Township, Anderson County, South Carolina, containing Seventy-two and Three-fourths acres, more or less, bounded by lands of W. J. Freeman, Carey Chambliss, Frank M. Jones, O. M. Barrett, and others.

Harris Bridge News.

Christmas is about over and many a heart is made glad by the many happy hours spent together with friends and loved ones. May we all be able to carry out the golden rule and carry it through the year.

Charlie Cobb and Perry Smith, of Broadway, spent Sunday and Monday in our burg.

Claud and Oscar Harris spent Christmas in Abbeville, the guests of relatives.

Clem Harris and pretty sister, Miss Alma, are visiting in and around Broadway.

We listened to some fine music at the residence of Mr. John Harris on Christmas Eve, made by the Messrs. Bunias. We return many thanks to them for their sweet music.

Miss Jennie Crakline and brother were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. J. F. Wilson, this week.

Miss Mattie Holder, one of our sweet girls, spent yesterday in Anderson.

Adolphus Holder and sister made a visit to Okeuca last week, the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Mattie Wyatt.

Ask Miss Sam— if she is stuck on the fellow in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Knox, of West Union, are visiting in our burg.

Adolphus Holder and sister made a short visit to Broadway with friends and attended an entertainment. They enjoyed their visit and return many thanks to their friends for their kind attention.

Decided Innovation Proposed.

Asheville, N. C., Dec. 22.—H. H. Pottle, a banker and broker of New York city, has undertaken to finance the new cotton mill to be built at Marshall, for which a charter was granted recently. The mill, to be located on the French Broad river, will have an equipment of 10,000 spindles and a full complement of looms for the manufacturing.

Santa Claus Kills.

Bessemer, Ala., Dec. 26.—Information has reached here from Cedar Bluff of the killing of John Parsons by A. J. Lockhart at a Christmas tree given at a church. Lockhart, who is a peace officer, was acting Santa Claus. It is asserted that Parsons became disorderly while the exercises were in progress and Lockhart halted the proceedings and ejected him. When the affair was over Parsons attacked Lockhart with a knife as the latter left the building. Lockhart drew a pistol and shot Parsons to death after having been severely cut in several places.

A New Tower of Babel.

New York, December 26.—The tallest building on earth is to be erected in lower Broadway, if present plans are carried out. With five stories below the street level, forty stories high from the entrance to the top floor and surmounted by a sixty-foot tower, the gigantic new building will have a total height of 615 feet, making it over twice as high as the Flatiron building, and almost as tall again as the Park Row building which at present holds the record.

MULES AND HORSES.

I will have two Cars of fine Mules and Horses to arrive Friday.

Want to sell you. Call and see them. J. S. FOWLER.

CITATION.

State of South Carolina, County of Anderson.

In the matter of the estate of Hiram Cooley, deceased.

A petition having been duly filed in this Court by Elizabeth T. Langston, praying that letters of administration de bonis non with the will annexed of the estate of Hiram Cooley, deceased, be granted to her.

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NOTICE

Of Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the Bank of Anderson to Increase the Capital Stock and Amend Its Charter.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Board of Directors of the Bank of Anderson, held on the 29th December, 1903, notice is hereby given that there will be a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the Bank, to be held at its Banking House on Friday, the 29th day of January, 1904, at 12 o'clock noon.

The purpose of the meeting is to take action to increase the Capital Stock of the Bank, and to Amend its Charter under the following Resolution, passed unanimously at the said meeting of the Board of Directors:

Resolved, By the Board of Directors that application be made to the Secretary of State for an increase of the Capital Stock of the Bank of Anderson from Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars to One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars.

Further Resolved, That application be made to Amend the Charter of said Bank of Anderson for authority to act as Guardian, Trustee, Receiver, Assignee, Executor or Administrator by virtue of the Acts of the General Assembly of this State in such case made and provided.

Further Resolved, That a copy of this notice and resolution be published once a week for four weeks in the Anderson Intelligencer, a weekly paper published at Anderson, S. C., and a copy thereof mailed to each stockholder.

J. A. BROCK, President. B. Frank Mauldin, Secretary. Anderson, S. C., December 23, 1903.

Notice to Creditors

ALL persons having demands against the Estate of G. W. McGee, deceased, are hereby notified to present them, properly proven, to the undersigned, within the time prescribed by law, and those indebted to make payment.

GEORGE E. MCGEE, JOEL T. RICE, Executors. Dec 23, 1903

Notice to Creditors.

ALL persons having demands against the Estate of William Callahan, dec'd, are hereby notified to present them, properly proven, to the undersigned within the time prescribed by law, and those indebted to make payment.

WM. F. LEE, Adm'r. Dec 9, 1903

Cheapest Laundry in the City

I do first-class hand work, and guarantee satisfaction to every patron. My prices are reasonable, and I want you to give me a trial order. Will call for and deliver all clothing free of cost in the city.

Will close one week for Christmas on Wednesday, 23d inst. J. S. WAH, 128 Whitmer Street. Dec 16, 1903

Notice of Final Settlement.

THE undersigned, Administratrix of the Estate of J. C. Grimm, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will on Saturday, January 23rd, 1904, apply to the Judge of Probate for Anderson County for a Final Settlement of said Estate, and a discharge from her office as Administratrix.

MRS. PERRINTHA GRIFFIN, Administratrix. Dec 23, 1903

Advertisement for THE MIAMI CYCLE & MFG CO. featuring THE RACCYCLE bicycle. Text includes: AMERICA'S MOST PERFECT WHEEL, THE RACCYCLE, DIFFERS FROM A BICYCLE, PUSHES EASIER, PROCEEDS SAME WAY, COST A TRIFLE MORE. THE MIAMI CYCLE & MFG CO. MIDDLETOWN, OHIO, U.S.A. H.G. Johnson & Son.

Julius H. Weil & Co.

Great Removal Sale.

The ownership of this building having changed hands within the past few days it is probable that we will be required to move shortly. We will continue with even greater earnestness and push than during the entire Fall to sell out our entire Stock at—

ACTUAL NEW YORK COST!

Our Clothing Department

is still heavily stocked with choice heavy weight Clothing for men and boys, and to be able to purchase a Suit at our Selling Out Prices is indeed a great advantage for money saving.

The Stock contains almost anything to be desired in the way of a Suit or extra Coat and Vest or an extra Pair of Pants.

We simply ask prospective buyers, in justice to themselves, to look through our stock before making purchases elsewhere.

This stock must be sold, and must be sold quickly.

Respectfully, JULIUS H. WEIL & CO.

Biggest Shoe Sale in Anderson!

\$8,500 in Shoes! Too many—Stock to be cut down to: \$4,000.

Sold out all the Remnants of the big stock to a big dealer. Now is the chance to save big money. The stock to be sold at—

NEW YORK COST, And some at less.

The goods are all fresh and solid leather. You miss the chance of your life if you fail to get in this sale. Only at—

J. F. M'CLURE SHOE CO. DAVIS, The Shoe Man, Manager, 212 S. Main St., next door to Alliance Store. F. S.—Exceptions in this Sale: Queen Quality, Walk-Overs, Clapp, Nettleton's, Allen & Co.

The Globe Jobbing House, ANDERSON, S. C.

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN DRY GOODS, HOSIERY, NOTIONS, MEN'S HATS, TINWARE, ETC.

We are the only Wholesale Dry Goods House in upper South Carolina selling to MERCHANTS ONLY. We carry a complete line of everything for a first-class Store at the lowest market prices. Have your Freight Expense and buy at home.

FURNITURE.

Tell your father to buy one of the— BOYS' TIN WAGONS From The Peoples Furniture Co. Some of the Wagons have shafts on them, just ready for the goat. Everything in the Furniture line. PEOPLES FURNITURE CO. Funeral Directors and Undertakers.

Large advertisement for THE BEE HIVE. Text includes: A Happy NEW YEAR! Thanking you, one and all, for your liberal patronage through the year just ended, and having resolved to merit even a greater part of it through the year 1904, by keeping larger Stocks and the best Goods obtainable, and always selling them at lowest possible prices. Wishing one and all a Happy New Year, we are— Yours for business, G. H. BAILES & CO.

Advertisement for McClure's Magazine. Text includes: THOUSANDS SAY THAT McClure's Magazine is the best published at any price. Yet it is only 10 cents a copy, \$1.00 a year. In every number of McClure's there are articles of intense interest on subjects of the greatest national importance. Six good short stories, humorous stories, stories of life and action—and always good. In 1904 McClure's will be more interesting, important and entertaining than ever. "Every year better than the last or it would not be McClure's." FREE—Subscribe now for McClure's for 1904, and get the November and December numbers of 1903 free. THE S. S. MCCLURE COMPANY, 623 Lexington Building, New York, N. Y.